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MISSILE SYSTEM COMPONENT CALIBRATION FACILITIES FOR THE SOVIET SS-17, -18, AND -19 MISSILE SYSTEMS



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Missile System Component Calibration Facilities for the Soviet SS-17, -18, and -19 Missile Systems

Missile system component calibration facilities have been newly identified at the 12 ICBM complexes in the Soviet Union where the SS-17, -18, and -19 missile systems are or will be deployed (see Table 1).

Two types of calibration buildings have been identified. One type, a T-shaped building, was seen at only four of the 12 complexes. The other type, a rectangular building, was seen at the remaining eight complexes.

These two types of calibration buildings contain an instrumentation room with narrow, horizontal, and slit-type sighting windows on three sides and three large pedestal support positions. The dimensions of these buildings are shown on Figures 1 and 2.

Six to ten calibration monuments are at varying distances on either side and in front of the buildings (Figures 1 and 2). All of the calibration monuments are on heavy concrete bases and are elevated and leveled. This method of construction allows a view of the furthest calibration monument through the sighting windows from the calibration building. Each calibration monument is connected to the calibration building by an underground cable.

The location of these calibration facilities varies among these complexes. It is usually near the rail-to-road transfer point, isolated from heavy vehicular traffic, and generally oriented on a north/south axis. Table 1 lists the complexes at which this facility has been identified, the type of calibration building, the location within the complex, the associated missile system, and the date of completion.

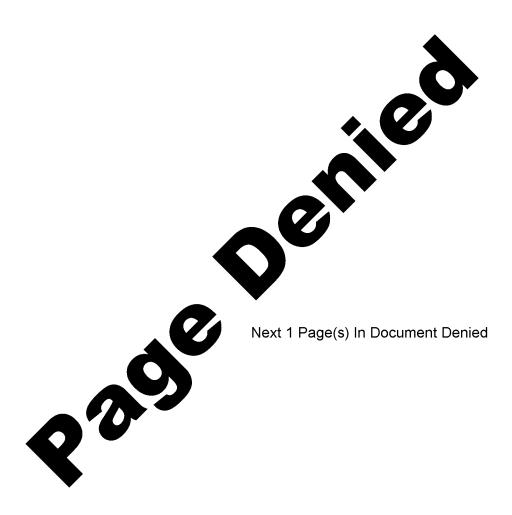
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Table 1. Missile Complexes with Calibration Facilities

Complex	Type of Calibration Building	Facility Location	Missile System
Aleysk	Rectangular	Near Inch tng site	SS-18
Dombarovskiy	T-shaped	Near SS-18 spt bldg	SS-18
lmeni Gastello	Rectangular	Near RIM fac	SS-18
Kartaly	Rectangular	Near RIM fac	SS-18
Uzhur	Rectangular	Near headquarters command & control	SS-18
Zhangiz-Tobe	Rectangular	Near Inch tng site	SS-18
Kostroma	Rectangular	Near Inch tng site	Poss SS-17
Yedrovo	T-shaped	Near east end of rail-to-road transfer point	SS-17
Derazhnya	T-shaped	Near IRBM Inch site 3 spt fac	SS-19
Kozelsk	Rectangular	Near Inch tng site	SS-19
Pervomaysk	T-shaped	Near nuclear warhead fac	SS-19
Tatishchevo	Rectangular	Near Inch tng site	SS-19



List of Conversion Factors by Classification

UNITS OF LENGTH

UNITS OF MASS

IF YOU HAVE	MULTIPLY BY	TO OBTAIN	IF YOU HAVE	MULTIPLY BY	TO OBTAIN
MILLIMETERS	0.0394	INCHES	KILOGRAMS	2.2046	POUNDS(AVOIR.)
CENTIMETERS	0.3937	INCHES	POUNDS(AVOIR.)	0.4536	KILOGRAMS
INCHES	25.4000	MILLIMETERS	SHORT TONS	0.9072	METRIC TONS
INCHES	2.5400	CENTIMETERS	METRIC TONS	1.1023	SHORT TONS
FEET	0.3048	METERS	METRIC TONS	0.9842	LONG TONS
FEET	0.0003	KILOMETERS	LONG TONS	1.0160	METRIC TONS
YARDS	0.9144	METERS			
METERS	3.2808	FEET		•	
METERS	0.0005	MILES(NAUTICAL)	_		
METERS	1.0936	YARDS	ί	INITS OF VOLU	JME
KILOMETERS	3280.8400	FEET		A444 T104 V 0V	TO OBTAIN
KILOMETERS	0.6214	MILES(STATUTE)	IF YOU HAVE	MULTIPLY BY	TOOBTAIN
KILOMETERS	0.5400	MILES(NAUTICAL)	LITERS	0.2642	GALLONS
MILES(STATUTE)	1.6093	KILOMETERS	LITERS	0.0063	BARRELS(POL)
MILES(NAUTICAL)	6076.1154	FEET	LITERS	0.0010	CUBIC METERS
MILES(NAUTICAL)	1.8520	KILOMETERS	GALLONS	3.7854	LITERS
MILES(NAUTICAL)	1852.0000	METERS	GALLONS	0.1337	CUBIC FEET
			GALLONS	0.0238	BARRELS(POL)
			GALLONS	0.0038	CUBIC METERS
			BUSHELS	0.0352	CUBIC METERS
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IF YOU HAVE	MULTIPLY BY	TO OBTAIN	CUBIC FEET	0.1781	BARRELS(POL)
OCHARE CENTRACTER	0.1550	SOUARE INCHES	CUBIC FEET	0.0283	CUBIC METERS
SQUARE CENTIMETERS	6.4516	SQUARE CENTIMETERS	CUBIC YARDS	0.7646	CUBIC METERS
SQUARE INCHES	0.0929	SQUARE METERS	BARRELS(POL)	158.9873	LITERS
SQUARE FEET	0.8361	SQUARE METERS	BARRELS(POL)	42.0000	GALLONS
SQUARE YARDS	10.7639	SQUARE FEET	BARRELS(POL)	5.6146	CUBIC FEET
SQUARE METERS	1.1960	SQUARE YARDS	BARRELS(POL)	0.1590	CUBIC METERS
SQUARE METERS	1.0000	CENTARES	CUBIC METERS	1000.0000	LITERS
SQUARE METERS	0.0002	ACRES	CUBIC METERS	264.1721	GALLONS
SQUARE METERS	0.0002	HECTARES	CUBIC METERS	35.3147	CUBIC FEET
SQUARE METERS	4046.8564	SQUARE METERS	CUBIC METERS	28.3776	BUSHELS
ACRES	0.4047	HECTARES	CUBIC METERS	6.2898	BARRELS(POL)
ACRES	10000.0000	SQUARE METERS	CUBIC METERS	1.3080	CUBIC YARDS
HECTARES	2.4711	ACRES			
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